

HOME NEWS

Little Miss Lois Kernaghan has been very sick, but is better to-day.

Mr. E. H. Folk of Edgefield, visited his mother a few days last week.

Miss Della Hartley is on an extended visit to her brother at Lexington.

With the fair sex every Sunday is decoration day.

The only genuine "Cuba" molasses at L. D. Cullum & Co.

Did you know that L. D. Cullum & Co. have the finest Cuba molasses in town?

Mr. S. J. Ridgell has returned from a pleasant trip to Atlanta.

Mr. J. O. Jones of Wards, was in town Monday.

The best thing to do in a hurry is nothing.

Mrs. Boatwright of Monetta was in town Saturday shopping.

Misses India and Aileen Cullum entertained charmingly at their home on Mt. Willing street, last Friday evening.

Miss Mary Eliza Fox is on a visit to her cousins at Lexington, S. C.

Mr. Burrel Boatwright of Ridge Spring was in town Saturday. Burrel is one of the best young men in the land and a first-class farmer as well.

We are in receipt of an invitation to a picnic at Steadman's next Saturday. We appreciate the invitation and shall endeavor to be on hand.

Miss Corrie Williams of Columbia, who is visiting friends at Monetta and Ridge Spring, was in town last Wednesday.

Mr. Ed Corley, accompanied by his sister, Miss Sallie of the Sallis section were here Friday.

Old Brother Stokes is keeping "bach" now, as Mrs. Stokes and the little ones are away on a visit.

Mrs. E. R. Steadman, with two of the children are visiting relatives in Lanaster. Mr. Eugene is looking as solemn as a judge. Right to it!

Mrs. Nannie Padgett was in town Friday.

Dr. Timmerman went down to Phillips to attend the Inter-Denominational Sunday School Convention. He reports a pleasant time.

Everybody should go to the "City by the Sea" on July 26th. Special cars for white people.

Mrs. Pope Matthews is visiting her mother, Mrs. Kernaghan.

Mrs. Price and Miss Cannon of Delmar, were here last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Dominick of the Saluda side, came down among the salt lappers Tuesday.

Mr. C. Fallaw, one of the champion fruit and melon growers of Monetta, was in town Monday.

Go to the "City by the Sea" on the Exposition July 26th. Train will leave Batesburg at 4:30 A. M., and arrive at Charleston, 10:30 A. M.

Mr. Neal Hartley has accepted a position with the Seaboard Air Line Ry., as file clerk. He left for Atlanta Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Rawl have returned to our town, to the delight of their many friends. We hope they will cast anchor with us for always.

Miss Yarbboro of Florida, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. J. C. Cullum.

Mr. E. A. Perry of Monetta, came to see us Monday.

Miss Emma Kernaghan has returned from the Summer School at Spartanburg.

It will only cost you \$1.75 to go to Charleston on July 26th. Tickets for sale at The Advocate office. Special cars for white people.

Gallant Legare Hardin, is spending some time with the old folks at home. He is one of the several young men our town has sent who are fast making their mark in the world. He is not only a responsible and lucrative position, in the president's office of a mill, in Gastonia, N. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Humphrey and daughter, with Miss Josie Sharkey, spent several days with Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Gunter this week.

Don't forget that you can go to Charleston and return on Friday, July 26th, for \$1.75. Tickets for sale at The Advocate office.

Mr. A. J. Boatwright of Samaria, was in town Monday.

Mr. L. M. Mims and wife, of Springfield, came over and spent Sunday with their sister, Mrs. J. B. Hartley.

Mr. B. L. Kirkland of Samaria, S. C., was in the city Monday.

Mr. Will Ridd of Greenwood, paid our town a short visit last week.

Mr. Kinzie Hartley left last Monday for a visit to relatives in Barwell county.

Miss Mattie Swearingin, who has been on a visit to Miss Ida Smith and Miss Bessie Goza, left for her home in Trenton, Monday.

Messrs. E. A. Perry and Pervis Boatwright of Monetta were in town Monday.

Grand Master J. K. P. Matheny, visited the Lodge of I. O. E. of our town, last Saturday. A special meeting was called and he gave an excellent lecture on Odd Fellowship. This Lodge is rapidly growing and is offered by first-class gentlemen. The Lodge greatly enjoyed the visit of the Grand Master.

Beginning Monday, July 22, L. C. Hartley & Co., will sell their entire stock (except groceries) at actual cost. This sale will close on Saturday, July 27th. This will be a rare opportunity for bargain hunters.

Those who attended the Sunday school Convention at Johnston from here were, Drs. A. C. Wilkins and E. C. Ridgell, Messrs. Wigfall Fox, Eugene Hartley, Albert Jones, and J. B. Hartley, Miss Mamie Gunter, and Mrs. Joe Hinnant.

CLEARANCE SALE!

For one week only, beginning Monday, July 2nd, and ending Saturday, July 27th. We will sell our entire stock of Dry Goods, Clothing, Shoes, Notions, Hats and Caps, at

ACTUAL COST!!

Ladies Slippers, former price \$1.00; now 50c. Ladies crash skirts, former price 50; now 22c. Ladies Shirt Waists, former price 50c., now 35cents.

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Our "devil" says he would like to know if "grass widows" should wear mourning. The last time his wife was seen, she was singing, "I wish I was single again."

Mr. Estes of Spartanburg, stopped over to see his old college mates, Geo. Bates and Legare Hardin, Monday.

Mr. George Bates spent Sunday in Johnston.

Mrs. Hinnant and Miss Mamie Gunter, have returned home after a visit to friends in Johnston.

Rev. Nathan D. Bodie, a young Lutheran minister formerly of Saluda county, but now of Ebenezer, Ga., was in town Monday shaking hands with old friends and acquaintances.

The West Creek picnic was largely attended. Our town was represented by several of our gallant swains. Revs. Wilkins and Conner were on hand and made excellent speeches. Mr. W. W. Holston was master of ceremonies and presided with becoming dignity. The tables were loaded with good things and all passed off with justice to the occasion. We had a pleasant time and shall look forward to the return of this occasion, with pleasant anticipation.

Dr. C. S. Gardner, pastor of the first Baptist Church of Greenville, has received a call to Grace church, Richmond, Va., which is one of the largest and most influential churches in the South. His leaving Greenville will not only be a distinct loss to that city, but to the State as well.

We have never yet offered ourselves on our country's altar, in asking for the suffrage of our countrymen, however, if we ever do, we devoutly pray, we may have so earnest and able champion, as one of our recent successful city fathers. Of course he could not keep from being elected, when one so fair to champion his cause.

Mr. Job Hallman, a leading citizen of near Samaria, S. C., was here on business Monday. Friend Job is so well pleased with The Advocate that he extended his subscription for one year longer. He is a son of Mr. Jas. F. Hallman, one of the most highly

ful penches. Mr. Adams has the best crop we have seen this year. The drive home was delightful and we returned in, counting ourselves most fortunate to have had such a pleasant day.

We are grieved to learn of the sad accident which befell our friend and county treasurer, Frank W. Shealy last week, while working with the pump at the Court House. Since then he has been confined to his bed. We hope for his speedy recovery.

A SOUTHERN PROBLEM.

What to Do with the Loafers Who Swarm About the Streets of Southern Towns and Cities.

The death of a policeman in Atlanta at the hands of some worthless loafer leads The Constitution of that city to make a strong plea for the suppression of the town loafer and the vagrant.

The drift of the worthless element to the cities and towns in the South, has given birth to a problem which must be settled immediately. With an increasing demand for labor, felt especially in some of the country districts at certain seasons of the year, and with an accompanying increase in the towns of a class of population dependent through beggary or petty crime upon the trifling elements of the community, more than one Southern city will be obliged to take the matter in hand and by adopting stringent police regulations check the migration from the country of these individuals, who may be useful as laborers in the fields, in mines and in the forests, but who, judging from experience of recent years, can become in the cities only a drain upon energy and industry, if not a menace to the public welfare and peace. To make the campaign against this element effective, however, will probably require something like identical action by a number of communities.—Ex.

From Quattlebaum's Mill.

The farmers have about conquered "Gen Green" since the hot and dry weather has set in.

Miss Virginia Quattlebaum has gone to the mountains to spend while.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hook of Clemson College, are visiting Mrs. Hook's mother, Mrs. C. J. Brodie.

There will be a basket picnic here on July 27th. Everybody is cordially invited to come and bring well-filled baskets.

W. E. Q.

Quattlebaum's Mill, July 12, '01.

From Aiken.

Aiken, S. C., July 13, 1901.

That which has awakened the greatest interest in our little city, for several weeks, is the contemplated Electric Car line connecting Aiken and Augusta. There are some good citizens here who do not favor the road, but the large majority are heartily in favor of it.

George Bros. and contractor Dohy have a large force at work on the new buildings they are erecting.

Mr. Mathis has about completed a handsome residence for Mrs. Hahn.

The most dependent class of people are those who till the soil.

The gloomy crop prospects it is hoped will be partially removed by the improved condition of both corn and cotton.

The duties of your correspondent have during the past few days, carried him through different sections of the county, where there can be seen fairly good prospects for crops.

Your scribbles sent, in part, the last two weeks at Warrenville, attending a series of meetings conducted by a Baptist Missionary. As a consequence, of the meeting seventeen are awaiting the ordinance of Baptism, to be administered next Sunday afternoon.

W. H. K.

Town Election.

The election of the town officers, last Monday, resulted as follows:

For Intendant, E. Jones, 89; Spann Steadman, 45. For Wardens, J. A. Whitson, 114; D. B. Rawl, 104; M. B. Edwards, 93; Walter Cartledge, 86; E. J. Hite, 59; S. J. Ridgell, 35; N. R. Bayly, 38.

Mr. E. Jones was elected Intendant and the four receiving the highest number of votes for Wardens were elected. The election passed off quietly and orderly, without any unpleasantness at all.

"If widows are in weeds, grass-widows must be in clover."

"If you don't pay as you go, some day you may have to go without paying."

"If fish wouldn't bite on Sunday perhaps there would be more men attend church."

"If women were unable to see the fine clothes other women wear, they would probably have but few wrinkles."

It was our privilege to worship with the Bathchemites and hear an excellent sermon by Rev. Taylor last Sunday. We went home with Mr. John Hite and fared sumptuously. After dinner we set out with friend Milton Hite, to the Hills. Sunday school, where we found quite a number of earnest workers. It was a pleasure to be with them. After services we went to Mr. Geo. Adair's home, where we were the recipient of a lot of delight-

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Now is the time to buy! We are overstocked and they are going cheap Any Size—Any price. Good cooking means good eating—and you stay healthy. We guarantee them.

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We have on hand always, a full and complete line of the choicest Groceries. The Celebrated "Hungarian Purity" Flour always in Stock.

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BARBECUE!

We will give a first class barbecue with refreshments at Holley's School House Saturday, July 20th. Price reasonable. Senator Tillman will be present and address the crowd. Let every body come and spend a pleasant day.

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Barbecue.

We will furnish one of our well-known barbecues at Delmar, S. C., on Thursday July 25, 1901. Speakers will be present to entertain the crowd. Rates for dinner reasonable. Come one and all and spend a pleasant day with us.

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A. L. Eagle, Delmar, S. C.

If a man thinks a girl is a vision, one other girl pronounces her a perfect sight.

Wedded To Save A Pig. Dispute Over Ownership Settled in a Peculiar Way.

Hiram Johnson, aged 56 years, and Miss Matilda Parkerson, aged 33, of Hudson, Buzerne county, quarreled over the possession of a pig and in order to settle the matter carried the case before Magistrate Conahan, who suggested that the pig be slaughtered and each take half. This proposition was not received with favor, and the litigants become husband and wife, as he understood they had once been lovers. This was agreed to, and the "Squire" tied the nuptial knot. The pig was taken home in a wagon, and its ownership is no longer in dispute.—Ex.

From Monetta

We are having some very warm weather now.

The health of our community is very good with the exception of a few cases of measles.

We have the poorest prospects for a crop ever known in this section.

It was our pleasure to attend the West Creek picnic last Saturday, at which we had a most delightful time.

Mrs. Hartley gave a candy pulling one night last week, to the delight of all the young folks of this neighborhood.

The Main Thing

Is to Secure a State Government—The Kind of Governor Needed.

Look well to the character of the man whom you select as governor. We have been paying too much attention to professions and platforms, and too little to the manner of man we vote for. Any weakling can make red-dresses and get on platforms, but is unable to withstand the strong current of influence that may be brought to bear upon him. He cannot stand the testing time.

What matters it so far as the administration of the affairs of our government is concerned whether or not a man is in free silver, expansion or prohibition? If he is a man whose past (not present) profession characterizes him as a man of firmness, character, ability and wise discretion, as well as an earnestness, you can trust him in any position. He will enforce such laws as are on the statute books, irrespective of his ideas as to their wisdom or policy.

Let us then be more careful along his line in the future. Avoid all of this discussion as to imperialism, expansion, commercialism, etc., let us not forget that it is of more importance to govern ourselves than it is to govern the Filipino. A lax enforcement of the law undermines society and destroys government.—Ex.

WILL EVANS.

Haberdasher, Shirt maker will give your mail orders prompt and careful attention at 1432 Main Street, Columbia, S. C.

Free Scholarship.

The attention of all South Carolina Club-women is called to the fact that the Scholarships belonging to the South Carolina Federation will be open competition on July 12th, 1901. We are very fortunate in securing such valuable gifts from the leading educational institutions in the State, and we should use our best influence to see that these Scholarships are filled. The Scholarships are as follows:

42 of free tuition at Converse College, Spartanburg, S. C., one for each County in the State.

One of free tuition at Winthrop College, Rock Hill, S. C., open to the State at large.

One of free tuition at the Presbyterian College for Women, Columbia, S. C., open to the State at large.

One of free tuition at Mrs. I. A. Smith's School for Young Ladies, Charleston, S. C., open to the State at large.

One of free tuition at Miss Ida McCollough's School for girls, at Wallhalla, S. C., open to the State at large.

One of free tuition at the Alumnal Club School of Domestic Science, Louisville, Ky., open to the State at large.

Any Club-Woman wishing further particulars in regard to any of these Scholarships, will please apply, before July 1st, to the Chairman of the Educational Department, Miss Christie H. Poppenheim, 31 Meeting Street, Charleston, S. C.

Election Of School Trustees.

The patrons of the white schools of Saluda county, will please meet at their respective school houses on Saturday, July 6th, 1901, for the purpose of electing trustees for the several school districts for the two ensuing years. Election shall be by ballot, polls opening at 3 p. m. and closing at 5 p. m. The present trustees will act as managers in the school districts where no more than one white is located. In other districts they will appoint three (3) managers for each school. The managers will certify the result of the election; giving the names of those voted for, the number of votes received by each, the name of school house at which election was held and the name of district in which said school is located.

By order of County Board of Education.

W. S. WIGHTMAN, Chairman.

June 25, 1901.

BATESBURG COTTON MARKET

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